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SUBJ: RADAR APPROACH CONTROL SYSTEMS (RAPCON) FOR IIAF
FROM COMMERCE

1. INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL PRODUCTS CORP. HAS ASKED COMMERCE FOR ASSISTANCE IN EFFORT TO SELL EIGHT RAPCON SYSTEMS TO IMPERIAL IRANIAN AIR FORCE. PROPOSAL PRESENTED TO IIAF IS FOR "TURNKEY" INSTALLATION. EXIM BANK HAS ISSUED PRELIMINARY COMMITMENT LETTER FOR THIS PROJECT. THE COMPLETE PROGRAM COULD BE UP TO DOLS 32 MILLION.

2. PROPOSALS CAN BE EXPECTED FROM FRENCH FIRM AND POSSIBLY FROM JAPANESE FIRM.

3. PURCHASE BY GOI WILL HAVE FAVORABLE EFFECT TOWARD DECISION TO PURCHASE U.S. SYSTEMS BY OTHER COUNTRIES HOW EVALUATING RAPCON REQUIREMENTS.

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4. REQUEST EMBASSY IN COORDINATION WITH MAAG SUPPORT AS APPRO-

PRIATE EFFORTS OF U.S. FIRM TOWARD OBTAINING FAVORABLE DECISION
TO PURCHASE THE U.S. SYSTEM. POSITIVE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
IMPACT IS OBVIOUS.
DECLAS AFTER AUGUST 10, 1973 ROGERS

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